

State of Hawaii
DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES
Engineering Division

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Board of Land and Natural Resources
State of Hawaii
Honolulu, Hawaii

Appointment of Mauna Kea Soil and Water Conservation District Directors

Under Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapter 180, the governance of each Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) is placed in the hands of five directors, two of whom are appointed by the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) at the recommendation of the District and three of whom are elected by the land occupiers of the District. Where directors are elected, the Board must certify the election. Directors serve for a term of three (3) years.

The following individuals have been recommended for appointment to serve as directors of the Mauna Kea SWCD for terms ending June 30, 2014:

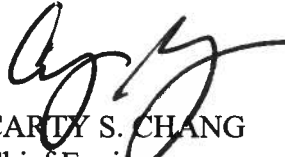
<u>Name</u>	<u>Title/Organization or Occupation</u>
Brad Lau	Rancher/Field Operations, Kohala Watershed Partnership
James D. Thain III	Forester

The documentation submitted by the district to support the election and recommend the appointment is filed in the Engineering Division office.


RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board appoint the persons recommended to serve as directors of the Mauna Kea Soil and Water Conservation District for the terms specified.

Respectfully submitted,


CARTY S. CHANG
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Approved for submittal:


WILLIAM J. AILA, JR., Chairperson
Board of Land and Natural Resources